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GOOD ROADS

GOOD ROADS PROVE BENEFIT

Improved Highways Increase Attendance at Rural Schools—States Making Greatest Progress.

While it is true that various factors contribute to increase or decrease the attendance at schools in given sections of the country, it is worthy of comment that in the states having a high percentage of improved roads a much larger percentage of the students enrolled regularly attend the schools than in the states having a small percentage of improved roads. In live eastern and western states, which have a large mileage of improved roads, the average attendance of enrolled pupils in 1908-9 was 80 per cent, while in four southern states and one northwestern state, which are noted for bad roads, the average attendance for the same year was 51 per cent—59 per cent in the good roads states as against 61 per cent in the bad roads states. In the states first named 85 per cent of the roads have been



A Good Road in New England.

Improved, while in the latter group of states there are only 1 1/2 per cent of the roads improved.

That improved roads would benefit our country school system there would seem to be no doubt. Improved roads make it possible to consolidate or centralize the schools and to establish graded schools in the rural districts. Such schools centrally located will accommodate all of the children within a radius of from four to five miles. In many communities having the advantage of improved roads commodious buildings have been provided, more competent teachers have been employed, and modern facilities for teaching have been supplied at a minimum cost. For instance, since the improvement of the main highways in Durham county, North Carolina, the number of school houses has been reduced from 65 to 42, of which 17 are graded and have two or more rooms and employ two or more teachers.

There are at the present time about two thousand consolidated rural schools in the United States. It appears that Massachusetts, Ohio and Indiana have made the greatest progress along these lines, and it is rather significant to note that in these states about one-third of the roads have been improved. According to statistics of the agricultural department there was expended in 1899, \$22,116 in Massachusetts for the conveyance of pupils to consolidated schools, but in 1908 the expenditure for this purpose amounted to \$292,213. In Indiana the expenditure for this purpose in 1904 amounted to \$55,000, while in 1908, \$290,000 was expended. This expenditure for transportation reflects, in a general way, the extent and progress of this new educational movement. It must not be understood that this is an additional burden, as the expenditure thus made is saved in other directions.

BENEFIT OF IMPROVED ROAD

Among Many Other Things It Attracts Investors Looking for Advantageous Locations.

A long stretch of improved road is one of the best advertisements a state can have. It attracts a class of tourists who are able and willing to pay for entertainment. It brings investors who are looking for advantageous locations. It includes agricultural investigation and consequent immigration and investment, not only along the line of the road, but in other accessible sections. It changes, by the sheer force of publicity, backward localities into progressive ones; enhances values, and brings into general notice resources which had only been known locally; or, if known, not appreciated. The advantages which such stretches of main roads cause to accrue are advantages which affect the entire state, as well as the localities themselves. It should, therefore, be assumed as a principle that such main roads should be built, in whole or in part, by the state; that their management and maintenance should be in the hands of the state authorities.

LIVE STOCK

ADVANTAGE OF THE ANGORA

Goat is Much Hardier Than Sheep, Not So Liable to Disease and Eats Greater Variety of Food.

In the mountainous regions of Asia, Turkey is the ancient city of Angora, celebrated for the long-haired goats bred in that vicinity. Here Angoras, the most valuable of all breeds of goats, reaches its perfection. The fineness of its hair and the remarkable fact that many other animals in that region possess long, silky hair has been accredited by some authorities to some peculiarity in the atmosphere, the altitude or soil.

At the present time there are in the United States between 300,000 and 400,000 angoras of pure blood or high strain, and yet the domestic product of mohair does not equal the home demand by a large amount. Many dollars' worth of mohair is imported annually into the United States, and still in Texas alone there is sufficient mountain land to raise not only all the mohair now imported, but enough to export several million dollars' worth annually, says Farm and Ranch.

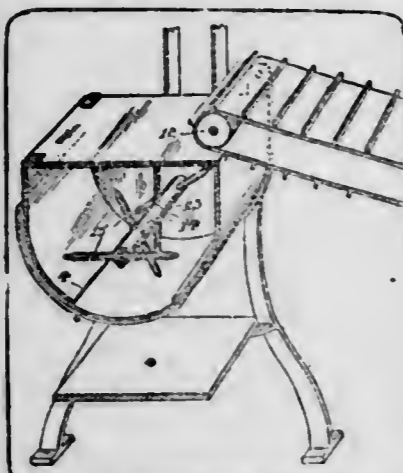
There are four profits to the Angora—the mohair, the increase, the fertilizer and the land they free from brush and weeds. There is a wide difference between the shearing weight and the shearing value of goats. Some will shear as much as 15 pounds of mohair per year, but the average for the United States is about two and one-half pounds. Some mohair brings as much as \$4.50 per pound, but the average is about 25 cents per pound. Mohair ranging from 12 inches to 26 inches in length brings from \$3 to \$5.50 per pound, and is used to make dolls' hair and wigs.

Mohair under 12 inches in length is sold according to fineness and luster, and ranges from 10 to 55 cents per pound. The average is about 25 cents per pound, but there is a great deal of variation. An Angora shearing \$1 per head than a sheep shearing \$1.50 per head, because the goat is longer lived, is much harder, is not liable to disease; the goat eats a greater variety of feed, will come to the sheds at night, and has many advantages over the sheep.

MACHINE FOR MIXING FEEDS

Effective Device Invented by Canadian in Form of Semi-Cylindrical Casing—Cover is Removable.

An effective feed mixer has been devised by Robert H. Driscoll of Appleton, Quebec, Canada. The inventor provides a hopper in the form of a semi-cylindrical casing having a removable cover and an outlet through the bottom opposite the open top and closed by a sliding door. A shaft is journaled in the ends of the casing, which may be driven by a crank or belt. Through this shaft are fastened rods pointed at the ends. These rods run across the casing to catch the ingredients in different places and thoroughly mix them.



Cross Section View of Mixer.

them. An endless feed carrier is journaled to one side of the feed-mixer for the rapid transportation of feed ingredients to the mixer.

Good Ration for Sows.

A good ration for brood sows is corn or maize, 50 per cent, and good alfalfa hay, 20 per cent, by weight. Sometimes sows will eat enough alfalfa hay if it is placed in racks in the pens. If they will not eat enough in this way, it is a good plan to grind it finely and feed it with cornmeal in the form of a thick slop. The mangels or sugar beets had better not be made a part of the regular ration, but fed as a conditioner, for such purposes they are excellent. This amount does not make so much difference. If you have plenty of them, throw over what the sows will clean up readily after they have had other feed. It will not be necessary to cut the beets or mangels.

Difference in Yield.

One person will get less milk from a herd than another in the same time. There's a reason. It may be in the careless way of milking or in the rough manner of doing it that causes the cows to dry up.

FEW NON-PRODUCTIVE HENS

Several Found Among Competitors of National Egg Contest That Never Laid an Egg.

One of the surprises of the national egg contest at Mountain Grove, Mo., was that several hens among the competitors were found that never laid an egg. They seemed healthy and ate as heartily as other hens in the pen, but never laid a single egg.

How to account for this is a matter that puzzles the experts. We don't know that they could find out, says the Kansas Farmer, even by killing the hens and examining them. They can only say they were non-productive. The finding of these non-producing hens could only be found out by the use of trap nests, where a daily record was kept of all the hens that laid or didn't lay any eggs.

It is undoubtedly true that there are a great many non-productive hens in the flocks of this country, and it is a fine thing if they could be eliminated, as an evil to be eliminated from the flock. The use of the trap nest for this purpose, on the ordinary farm, is out of the question, for the farmer would not have the time to attend to them even if he did have the nests.

Still, he can do a great deal towards the elimination of the non-productive by observation. He can get rid of all the hens that are over three years old, for after that age they do not lay many eggs. The superfluous roosters that are generally on every farm are, of course, in the non-productive class, and should be disposed of at once.

METHOD FOR HOLDING WORK

Where Heavy Timbers Are to Be Sawed Plan Shown in Illustration Will Be Satisfactory.

By WILLIAM GROVER, in the Scientific American.

A good way to hold large, heavy work that is to be sawed is shown in the sketch. The work is passed through the triangular opening in a wooden frame, nearly in the form of the letter A. When the frame and work lie at an oblique angle they constitute a three-legged stool. The upper edges of the heavy work are wedged fast in the sides of the triangle, and the lower side of the board rests upon a cross piece, which can be placed at



Device for Holding Timbers.

various heights, according to the size of work that is to be held. In sawing, the man rests his knee on the work, near the top of the frame, and the board is changed end for end, when sawn through half its length.

PROPER CARE FOR PASTURES

Mistake to Think That Close Cropped Blades Will Produce the Most Feed During Summer.

A man needs and wants all the income he can get safely from land. It must be that some of us really believe that more can be gotten from a field by close pasturing than by letting the grass have a chance to get and keep ahead of the stock. If it were not believed certainly there would not be so much close pasturing. The man who is hardest up and needs the most income, too often is the one that overstocks his grass. It is a big mistake to think that close mowing of grass plants will produce the most feed during the summer by keeping the blades cropped close to the ground. It simply cannot, but will produce less than it should and would if there were good leaf surface to enable the plants to do their work of growing. Plenty of leaf surface is necessary to rapid growth. The way to get the most possible pasturage from a field during the season is to let the grass get a fair start in the spring and then let it keep ahead of the stock. And then there is another year coming, as we believe, and the field too closely pastured this year cannot produce a full crop of grass next year. These things being true, they should be believed.

Feeding Green Corn.

Feeding green fodder corn to cows in the pasture leads to no end of restlessness. They seem to imagine that every man, horse, or team crossing the fields is bringing them corn. They are constantly chasing every vehicle that comes in sight, expecting to get a feed of corn. While it is no more trouble to feed in the stable, it seems to be the only satisfactory way of feeding corn to cows while they are in grass.

Chicken Relish Sour Milk.

Sour milk is more relished by fowls than sweet milk; sweet skim milk is best for mixing mash. The birds will drink more milk if given either uniformly sour or uniformly sweet than when given sweet one day and sour the next. When the milk is separated after souring, use the whey to wet the mash.

Toadstools.

Twenty-two persons were killed within a week in New York and vicinity by eating toadstools. Grocers are cautioned to use the greatest care in buying mushrooms and the producers are warned with equal earnestness.

DAIRY

SELECTION OF COWS FOR DAIRY

Selection of cows for dairy purposes is a matter of great importance. The cow should be selected on the basis of her ability to produce milk of high quality and in large quantities.

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Good Dairy Foundation.

Good dairy calves will bring more for breeding purposes than they do now, or will bring so fast. As long as the farmer can afford to buy this class of calves, it will be a profitable venture. The calves will be a good foundation for the dairy.

PROPERLY BALANCED RATIONS

Report of Results of Tests Made by Illinois Station of Agriculture.

By H. R. PLATT, Illinois Experiment Station. A balanced ration is one in which each of the different food materials or nutrients is present in just the right proportion and in a way to meet the needs of the animal. It is the basis of the Illinois experimental station. Tests conducted at Iowa fed balanced rations yielded a pound of butter fat for each 17 pounds of feed consumed. A cow which received a balanced ration of 21 pounds of feed per day produced 1.5 pounds of butter fat when an unbalanced ration was fed. The use of the balanced ration thus saved four pounds of digestible nutrients for each pound of butter fat produced, or a pound and a quarter of butter fat was produced by the same number of pounds of digestible nutrients in balanced rations as was required for a pound of butter fat when the unbalanced ration was fed.

Not only was the butter fat more economically produced, but the cows given a balanced ration produced the milk with less trouble and in much better health than those which received an unbalanced ration. It is a fact that a balanced ration will produce more milk of better quality than an unbalanced ration.

Building a Cow.

It is not uncommon to find one for less than \$100 or \$200. These animals are built on a poor foundation and are not worth the trouble of raising. They are not worth the trouble of raising.

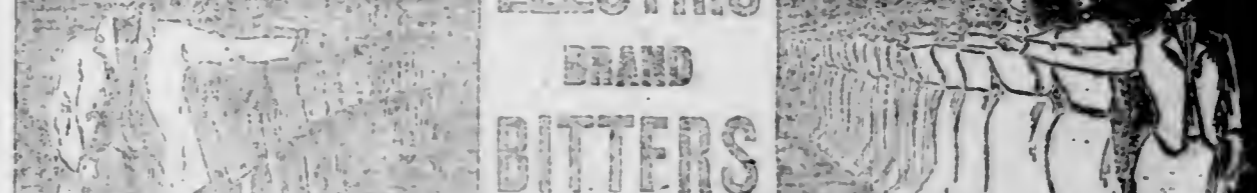
Increased Capacity of Milk.

The capacity of the cow to produce milk is increased by the use of a balanced ration. The cow will produce more milk of better quality than an unbalanced ration.

Choosing Dairy Herds.

After the dairy herd is chosen, the farmer should select the best cows for the herd. The best cows are those that produce the most milk of the best quality.

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SANTA CLAUDE also was glad to record as following this test new habit.

Among Mexico's powerful exports north might be a new national president.

Like the other men, George is not to be taken for granted there are, apparently, technical hitches.

Next year goes on the record book as a year of hard work and what good did it do?

Two more young people have married because somebody dared them to. Oh, well, the state needs the license money.

PRESIDENT WILSON avoids the words in the report of the delegation where President Roosevelt used to get the kind that stirred things up.

And now a British warship has been damaged by collision with a herring boat. Maybe the herring boats would do better than the warships as the first line of defense.

APPARENTLY, Gen. Carranza is not taking any chances in clearing the road clear to a foreign refuge.

Geography is being taught by moving pictures in some cities. This may keep the lessons up to date provided the pictures move fast enough.

BEFORE we enter into any more of our church with a Southern Baptist, let us be required to provide to ship us any more rare dances.

"Oh, our church is strict modernism," boasted the visitor to Texas. "We have a phonograph instead of a choir and a picture show instead of a person."

WHILE Europe is consuming and not producing we may have a span of unexampled prosperity, but the prosperity that erases the consequences of a change between producer and producer. A fair trade betrays both parties to it.

SLOWLY civilization presses onward. Two laundries now advertise that they will do negligee shirts without starching the bosom if the patrons so desire. This is a small concession but it shows that we are making progress.

Buy Grass and Clover Seed Early.

A great deal of a farmer's prosperity depends upon his ability to get good stands of grass and clover free from noxious weeds. Not the least important factor in accomplishing this is good seed. Farmers have not attached enough importance to good seed in the past, with the result that they have lost many dollars and their farms have become infested with troublesome species of weeds.

It is entirely possible to get grass and clover seed free from weed seed. By the use of modern clearing machinery nearly all such weeds can be removed. In addition to clean seed, we want seed that will grow, and seed dealers should be required to guarantee the germination of the seed they sell. Good seed is always the cheapest. Poor seed is expensive at any price, even as a gift.

Dealers have a good stock of seed now in most cases. It is just as cheap now, or probably cheaper, than they will be later. Why not buy early and get the first chance at

the high grade seed. Buy by sample and test for germination and examine for purity, or, if you do not feel confident to this end, the samples to the Experiment Station, where the work will be done free of cost. In case of blue grass and red top seed, this is a very important tip seed, this is a very important tip seed, this is a very important tip seed. Do not wait until the last moment and take the poorest seed, that everyone else has refused.

E. J. Kinsley, Asst. Agronomist, Kentucky Experiment Station, Lexington, Ky.

Gain of Half Billion in Foreign Commerce.

Washington, Dec. 8.—That one year of the war in Europe will add \$500,000,000 to the foreign commerce of the United States is the estimate of Edward E. Pratt, chief of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. Mr. Pratt has just completed a study of the reports of American manufacturers and commercial representatives abroad of agents of his bureau in this country, and of the new orders for American manufactures and products reported in commercial periodicals.

If the ratio of increase recorded since August, when the war began, is maintained until next August he estimates that new orders placed on the books of American firms will total the named amount.

Reaching his estimate on estimated grand total Mr. Pratt took into consideration the enormous increase in European food supplies noted in September and October. Details of the November foreign commerce are not available as yet, beyond the estimate that a "trade balance" in favor of the United States of approximately \$70,000,000 will be shown. Department officials are aware, however, that the increase in food shipments has continued and that manufactured articles are beginning to move across the Atlantic in considerable volume.

Whitewash Your Barn.

Realizing as I do the many advantages of whitewash or paint

with a formula which has been used for many years and has proven satisfactory to many.

Half a bushel of unslaked lime; slake with warm water; cover during the process to keep in the steam; strain the liquid through a sieve or strainer; add a peck of salt previously well dissolved in warm water; three pounds of ground rice; boiled to a thin paste and stir in; boiling hot, half of pound of powdered Spanish white and a pound of glue which has been previously dissolved over a slow fire, and add five gallons of hot water to the mixture; stir well and let it stand for a few days, keeping covered to exclude the dirt. It should be put in a pot. One pint of the mixture properly applied will cover a square yard. Sun brushes are best. There is nothing that can compare with it for outside or inside work, and it retains its brilliancy for years. Coloring matter may be put in and made any shade—Spanish brown, yellow ochre or common clay. (Reference: Farmer's Bulletin No. 474 entitled Use of Paints on the Farm.)

A. Y. Finley, County Agent.

The Care of the Hair.

There are two things that the hair must have in order to preserve its health and beauty: perfect cleanliness and a good circulation of the blood in the scalp. Badly treated or neglected hair is not beautiful; it grows dry, and dull, and brittle, and if the bad treatment continues it may gradually disappear entirely.

Most persons do not begin to tremble for their hair even though they wash with a good deal of soap. They have fallen out, and then they think to set matters right by a few applications at the hairdresser's, and a bottle of tonic. But nothing demands and responds to consistent good treatment more than the hair. It is hard to say just how often you ought to have a shampoo, but once a week is a good enough rule. If you have a good shampoo, it will do absolute cleanliness. If washing seems to make the hair too dry, rub in a few drops of some bland oil after the shampoo. Do not put the oil directly on the

hair, where it is possibly do any good, but with the tips of the fingers, rub it into the scalp, and then run your fingers through the hair, and it will be done. Only a small amount of oil is needed, and it is better to use a good plan, and use the oil with the tips of the fingers, and it will be done. The massage should be vigorous, but not rough, for the purpose is to bring the blood to the surface of the skin and to keep the scalp freely movable on the surface of the skull so that the blood can circulate freely. The free circulation of the blood is the whole secret of the strength, the gloss, and the beauty of the human hair. Careful brushing with a scrubber, clean brush is also helpful, for it tends to remove dirt, to make the hair more glossy, and to make it more able to resist the cold.

Related Paragraph.

The more we know of the hair, the more we know of the body.

Many a man is not a man because he is not a man.

How a man does, and how bright children are, are his own.

And since women are never happy unless they are heartbroken.

What will his outburst make do when the first says, "I am exhausted."

A girl refuses to let a man kiss her because she knows that he will do it anyway.

If you have nothing to worry about ask your wife and she can always supply you with a nuisance.

The wise young man keeps on the right side of his rich old uncle who is dead in his left ear.

When a woman is expecting company for lunch she proceeds to build a marble cake and open a can of peaches.

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A. E. McCracken, Agent Greenville, Ky.

FREE TO FARMERS SEEDS

By special arrangement the seeds of the most valuable crops for the farmer, such as corn, wheat, oats, and clover, are being distributed free of charge to the farmers of the United States. The seeds are of the best quality and are guaranteed to produce a good crop. It is a great opportunity for the farmer to get the best seeds at no cost. Write for a list of the seeds and the conditions of the offer.

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A South Carolina farmer had a large number of hogs which were ready to kill. The weather was so warm that killing was out of the question.

He went to his telephone, called a dealer in Columbia over Long Distance and sold his hogs at a good price. He then called the local freight office and arranged for shipment.

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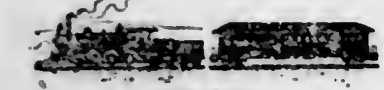
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Local Mention.

Do your Christmas shopping early.

Monday will be the shottest day of the year.

Get Red Cross Christmas seals at Hale's.

Ice skates for boys and girls at Roark's.

The county also loves a cheerful war tax payer.

Readed bags are "the thing" this season, and Mc has them.

Get a pair of ice skates for the boy. Roark has a full line.

Mr. Chas W. Roark has been in Louisville a few days on business.

An electric fan has been an absence possession this week.

The bazaar people have sold many hundreds of gifts this year.

Better begin now, or you will not be ready to write it 1915 when the time comes.

Bourbon Red turkeys for sale. See Geo. Spurlin, Telephone 27 1/2 Depoy, Ky.

Typewriter and sewing machine supplies of all kinds can be found at Roark's.

Red cedar chests at Roark's. Nice for Christmas gifts and useful always.

Help the fight against tuberculosis by using Red Cross Christmas seals. They are on sale at Hale's.

"Martha Washington" sewing tables, a gift for the day and for all ways, can be found at Roark's store.

Worthy and useful Christmas remembrances can be found in abundance at McCracken's jewelry store.

Mrs. J. W. North, of Lawrenceburg, is here to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Christian.

Mr. Paul Morgan has been here from Marianna, Ark., a few days during the week, on a visit to his father, Mr. Geo. Morgan.



If It's a Question What to Give "Her"

Mc the jeweler can solve it pleasingly. Appropriate, lasting remembrances from very modest to most impressive. Call and see the goods and learn the low prices.

City Levy, 1915.

The City Council of Greenville, Kentucky do ordain as follows:

It is ordered by the City Council of the city of Greenville, Kentucky, that for the purpose of paying all any existing indebtedness of said city, and for the purpose of building and improving the streets therein and paying the salaries and fees of the officials of said city, and for the purpose of paying all the necessary current expenses of said city not herein set forth, there be and is hereby levied and imposed a poll tax of \$1.50 on each and every male inhabitant of said city over the age of twenty-one years. Also, that there be and is hereby levied and imposed an ad valorem tax of 75c. on each and every ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS in value of the taxable property, whether real, personal or mixed, within said city, whether belonging to natural persons, corporations or associations, assessed for said purposes and as shown by the revised Assessor's books and the report of the Board of Supervisors of said city for the year 1915. And it is further ordered by the City Council of the city of Greenville that the Marshal of said city collect said taxes and pay the same over to the Treasurer of the City of Greenville. The said Marshal shall give bond as required by law in such cases made and provided before he undertakes the collection of said taxes.

Approved Dec. 14, 1914.

ORIN L. ROARK, Clerk.

Notice.

The City Council of Greenville, Kentucky, do ordain as follows:

That all claims hereafter allowed by the Council against the city of Greenville shall bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date of issue by the Clerk of the City Council of a certificate evidencing such claim to the date of the payment thereof by the City Treasurer. The City Clerk is now directed when he shall issue certificate evidencing claims allowed by the City Council to indorse thereon the fact that said certificate shall bear interest from the date thereof at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum until the date of the payment by the City Treasurer.

Approved Dec. 14, 1914.

Orin L. Roark, Clerk.

Wreck at Central City.

A head-on collision between two freight trains, Nos. 51 and 1395, occurred in the south yards of the Illinois Central, Central City, at 7 o'clock Sunday evening in which Willard Jenkins, conductor on manifest freight No. 51, was killed, fireman James Murphy suffered a broken arm, and Bright Duffer, colored, a brakeman, had both legs cut off. Just how the accident occurred has not been ascertained, as Engineer Franham and Edgar Denton, fireman on 1395, were both seriously cut and bruised in the wreck. No. 51, which goes south, was making up and was just ready to attach the engine to the train when extra No. 1395, northbound, entered the yards. Edgar Everts, engineer on 51, kept his seat and was uninjured. Jenkins and Duffer were caught between the engine and the tender. The crew of train No. 51 were all of Central City except Everts, who is from Paducah.

There is a reported outbreak of smallpox in the county, many sections being affected. All cases are in light form, and prompt and general preventive measures have been taken. Doctors have vaccinated hundreds of persons during the past week.

The chapel exercises at the graded school Tuesday morning were given by the children of the second grade, under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. Cecil E. Roark. The program was an excellent one, and splendidly given. The "Rose Drill" was beautiful, and rather intricate for little ones, but was given without a hitch.

Attend the bazaar given today by the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church at the V. M. C. A. gymnasium. There will be hundreds of pretty and useful items, suitable for Christmas gifts, and the prices will all be extremely reasonable.

Buy a solid red cedar chest from Roark. It may save its cost in one year, and will be lifetime pleasure to the owner. Several sizes and kinds in stock, from \$12 to \$18 in price.

The Central Life Insurance Co., of Kentucky has received applications since January 1 amounting to more than

\$12,000,000

Which is three times as much as has been received by any other company operating in this State. For further particulars see or address

A. C. WICKLIFFE, Mgr.

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY

Card of Thanks.

I feel deeply grateful to many loyal friends who extended assistance and sympathy in my hours of anxiety and sorrow. Such acts have impressed me more than words can express, but I shall never forget the kindly ministrations.

Mrs. W. J. Moore.

Rev. J. T. Barbee has been here a few days with old time friends and admirers. Sunday he occupied the pulpit at the Cumberland church morning and evening, and was greeted by large numbers of old friends. He has served this church effectively for a long period, and his members were all delighted to have him back again for a visit, as it has been some years since he has been here.

Mesdames Chas. W. Roark and H. O. Meredith have been in Owensboro this week, guests of Mrs. Dr. J. M. Stuart.

Mr. Marvin Wells was here from Louisville for the week end, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wells.

Typewriter supplies of all kinds at Roark's—paper, ribbons, document covers, accessories, repairs.



BE SENSIBLE

even if it is Christmas time. Buy practical, lasting gifts from our varied stocks. Rockers, Dining and Odd Chairs, Novelties in Furniture, Cedar Chests, "Martha Washington" Sewing Tables, Mirrors, etc.

ROARK.

William Jefferson Moore.

Mr. W. J. Moore died at his home here at 2:30 o'clock last Sunday afternoon, from a complication of troubles, which for two weeks had confined him to his bed. He had for a long while been a sufferer from Bright's disease, and erysipelas developed, his condition being serious for a week before death. Mr. Moore was a native of Tennessee, moving here with his wife from Lawrenceburg, that state, about a year ago. He was an industrious, progressive man, kindly, thoughtful, considerate, and made a wide circle of friends here. He was a man of exemplary habits, a devoted supporter of his church, liberal and upright in all his actions. A short service was held at his home at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. R. McFee, of the Methodist church, who was assisted by Rev. Robt. H. Tandy, pastor of the Baptist church. Interment was made in the Crittenden graveyard, near Woodson church. His widow has the sympathy of relatives and friends.

Roark has hundreds of items which will beautifully and substantially answer that question "What shall I give for Christmas?"

The board of city tax supervisors will meet in the court house next Monday and Tuesday, to hear complaints from the hundred and a half taxpayers who are considered to have valued too lightly their holdings.

The zero weather of the past few days has put plumbing out of commission in dozens of homes in town, and plumbers are working overtime.

Uncle Sam is urging people to mail their Christmas remembrances early. Many persons will be made happy if they get anything at the last minute.

Lest You Forget, We Say It! We sell you that wallpaper, you will want to tighten and brighten your home for winter. Marvelous values, large, snappy stock right here for your selection. When you see how little the cost, you will buy.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS.

Practical Gifts for Men, Women and Children.

FOR MEN.

Sweater Coats, House Slippers, Rain Coats, Shirts & Collars, Suspenders, Silk Reefers, Gloves, Sox, Garters, Handkerchiefs, Ties.

FOR WOMEN.

Neck-Wear, Hair Ornaments, House Slippers, Gloves, Umbrellas, Belts, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Dress Goods, Silks, Kimono Goods.

FOR CHILDREN.

Sweater Coats, Hats, Caps, Toques, Umbrellas, Gloves,

ANOTHER CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION

We have equipped one of our large wrapping counters with paper and twines suitable for wrapping express and parcel post packages. This service is free and you are cordially invited to our store to wrap and address your Christmas packages.

HEAD, STIRSMAN & CO.

REDUCED RATES

VIA ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS

See your local I. C. agent for particulars as to rates, dates of sale and time limits.

S. W. HARLOW, G. P. A.
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No Substitutes

RETURN to the grocer all substitutes sent you for Royal Baking Powder. There is no substitute for ROYAL. Royal is a pure, cream of tartar baking powder, and healthful. Powders offered as substitutes are made from alum.

ROARK—Furniture, Wallpaper, Shades, Moldings

Undertaker's Goods: Coffins, Caskets, Robes, Wrappers, Slippers, Grave Vaults. Disinfection—ROARK

THE KITCHEN CABINET

We rise by the things that are under our feet. By what we have mastered of good and gain. By the pride of the past and the passion of the future. And the unquenchable fire we hourly meet.

STRAWBERRIES.

Early season, when berries are a very few used for a garnish or in pleasing combinations with other dishes will not make expensive dishes. Cold molded rice with strawberry sauce is always delicious. A cereal pudding using cream of wheat or farina, molded and served with the sauce, is also very good.

The strawberry shortcake is the national dish which everybody likes. To make it, use a rich biscuit dough without sugar, or, if any, not more than a teaspoonful. Make the shortcake and roll out a half-inch thick. Spread with butter and place the other half on top, so that when they are baked there will be no rough, broken edges which are apt to come when cutting, to say nothing of making the cake soggy.

There are so many delicious strawberry and gelatin combinations that one will make no mistake in serving any of them.

Strawberry Salad.—Wash and hull the berries and cut them in halves lengthwise and let stand 30 minutes in a honey salad dressing in a cold place. Drain and arrange on lettuce leaves and serve at once. To make the honey salad dressing use: Two tablespoonfuls of honey, three of olive oil and one and a half of lemon juice, a dash of salt and cayenne if liked. Beat until frothy.

Frozen Strawberry Fruit Cup.—Take one cupful of cubed pineapple, one cut of cut orange, one-half cupful of water and sugar boiled together five minutes. Mix the fruits and stir when cold and let stand half an hour or longer to blend. Make an ice of a pint of strawberries, a cupful of sugar and a cupful of warm water. Mash the berries with the sugar and let stand half an hour. Rub through a sieve, adding the water to hurry the process; freeze. Half fill sherbet glasses with this and hollow the center to heap the fruit mixture. Put piped whipped sweetened cream over the top and finish with a whole berry.

Nellie Maxwell.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

It is difficult to be always true to ourselves, to be always what we wish to be, what we feel we ought to be. As long as we feel that, as long as we do not surrender the ideal of our life, all is right. Our aspirations represent the true nature of our soul much more than our every-day life. Max Muller.

Yet it is by our lives we are known and judged.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

While bran bread is so popular with many people it may be well to have a good recipe which has been tried and is well liked.

Bran Bread.—Take three cupfuls of bran, a cupful of graham, a half-cupful of

flour, a teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in three-fourths of a cupful of molasses, one cupful of raisins, dates or figs or a mixture of the three, two cupfuls of sweet milk, stir and let stand a half-hour to let the soda act on the mixture, as it does not make it light enough without. Bake in a large loaf two hours.

Nut Loaf.—To two cupfuls of mixed nut meats, using Brazil, pecans and peanuts, add one-half a teaspoonful of salt, next stir in six finely chopped bananas; when well blended press into a mold and steam steadily for three hours. Cook on ice and serve in slices. For sandwich filling sprinkle over a few drops of catsup on each slice.

Chopped Steak en Casserole.—Put two cupfuls of chopped steak in the center of a casserole, flavor with celery, salt, pepper, mace and a little mushroom catsup or Worcestershire sauce. Surround the steak with a cupful of pearl barley, pour two cupfuls of boiling water over it and bake in a moderate oven for one and a half hours. Keep closely covered while cooking. Just before serving cover with a brown gravy or tomato sauce.

June Salad Dressing.—Use any fruit combination with this: Beat the white of one egg, add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, one of orange juice and a third as much whipped cream as there is of the mixture. Serve very cold.

Portuguese Eggs.—Peel ripe, round tomatoes and scoop out a small hole large enough to hold an egg. Drop in an uncooked egg; dust with salt and pepper and grated cheese, with bits of butter. Bake until the egg is set.

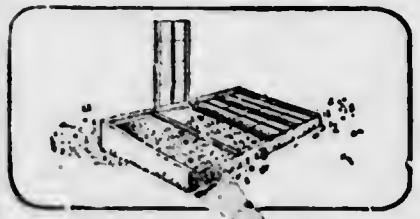
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TO BUILD CONCRETE HOTBED

Concise Directions Given for Four-Sash Bed Which Can Be Extended to Any Length.

We referred recently to the concrete hotbeds now built by florists and vegetable growers. The following directions are given for a four-sash bed, which of course could be extended to any length desired. A standard hotbed sash is three by six feet. Lay out the bed six feet eight inches wide by 21 feet 10 inches long. The concrete walls are six inches thick. Dig the foundation trenches two feet six inches deep within the lines given above. Make forms of one-inch lumber to carry the south (front) wall six inches and the north (back) wall 14 inches above ground, says the Rural New Yorker. Forms are not required below ground level. The tops of the end walls slope to the others. Before filling the forms with concrete test the dimensions of the bed by means of the sash. See that the sash lap the forms two inches on all sides.

Mix the concrete mushy wet in the proportion of one bag of cement to 2½ cubic feet of sand to five cubic feet of crushed rock, or one bag of cement to five cubic feet of haul-run gravel. Fill the forms without stopping for anything. Tie the walls together at the corners by laying in them old iron rods bent to right angles.



Frame Grooved Sash.

While placing the concrete set ½ inch bolts about two feet apart to hold the wooden top-frames of the bed to the concrete; or make grooves in the top of the concrete for co-terminating the sash to the level of the walls with an allowance of one-quarter inch for clearance. This can be done by temporarily imbedding in the concrete wooden strips of the necessary dimensions. During this operation, by means of blocks nailed to the strips, make provision for the center bars described below. Remove the strips as soon as the concrete stiffens. Take down the forms after five days. The extra 2½ inches in length of the bed is allowance for the three center bars between the sash. These center supports are of dressed one-inch stuff, shaped like a capital "T" turned upside down. The length of the stem of the "T" is equal to the thickness of the sash and the top is three inches wide. Sufficient materials for the concrete will be supplied by 14 bags of cement, 1½ cubic yards of sand and 2½ cubic yards of crushed rock; or 14 bags of cement and 2½ yards of pit gravel at a cost of \$10.

PAYS TO FERTILIZE MEADOW

Increase in the Yield of Hay Estimated From Three-Quarters to One Ton Per Acre.

Several years ago when cutting hay next to a patch of wheat in the same field, i. e. there was no fence between, I noticed that the hay adjoining the wheat was much heavier in weight of a drill than elsewhere, writes F. P. Gerlach in the Michigan Farmer. In fact, there was so much difference that I began to study out the reason, which explained itself simply enough.

In drilling the wheat the fall before with 250 pounds of 2-8-2 fertilizer per acre, and running the drill out on the meadow, there would be from two to four feet of meadow fertilized while in going back the drill would not be set in gear until at the edge of the wheat field, consequently every other width of the drill would show a marvelous difference in the grass.

This set me to thinking that it would be a good investment to fertilize meadows, and the following fall I fertilized five acres with the same result, raising the disks and drilling the fertilizer over the top, and since then we have been doing so, and I am satisfied we harvest from three-quarters to one ton of hay per acre more where we use the fertilizer. The fertilizer can be sown late in the fall before the snow covers the ground, or in the early spring.

Success With Cattle.

Said Prof. J. M. Truman, of the State Agricultural college: "If success has been obtained in one breed of cattle, stick to that breed." President W. H. Lee advises that the summer allow should largely take the place of the pastures after June. He predicted a great increase in the average grain yield and in the culture of alfalfa. He thought that many farmers in remote districts would do better in raising good cows to sell than shipping milk, cream or butter.

Egg Yield and the Feed.

The egg yield can be controlled by the feed and manner of feeding. When fresh-laid eggs have an offensive odor when broken or cooked, it is time to examine the quality of food the hens are getting. Onions, fish, manure piles and the like have a strong tendency to cause a bad smell and flavor in eggs.

Diseased Trees.

It is well to remember that the old and diseased trees not only take up valuable space in the orchard, but they are liable to spread disease among the healthy trees, and they always harbor pests that are injurious to the entire orchard.

A POSTPONED ROMANCE

By JEAN SHEAR.

"What made you ask me to marry you?" inquired the bride, as one asks what the weather is likely to be. "Why," the bride's husband paused. "I guess it was because you were looking around and picked me out."

"No," replied the bride, meditatively. "It could not have been just that, because Miss Mary McGee's been picking out husbands for 20 years, and she'd just quit that unprofitable occupation and had begun to be happy, when she found him!"

"Who's this Miss Mary McGee?" "She's just Miss Mary McGee!" the bride laughed. "I don't know how I can explain more, if that doesn't tell you! She's the woman down the block who lives with the children and they all call her Miss Mary McGee. So every one else does! She's been with the children until she's just like one—but she didn't begin until she'd given up the hope of getting married, you know."

"How interesting," commented the man.

"Yes, but she's had a genuine romance! You see it got out, naturally," said the bride, taking a deep breath to mark the beginning of the story. "Through the children that Miss McGee wasn't invited to Jane Denton's wedding, because she was needed by some one or other to take care of the children. And no one thought she'd think anything of it! But the children talked it over before her,



"Mr. Manning Was Interesting."

and her feelings were hurt. She imagined that she had become nothing but a nursemaid in the eyes of the world, and gave up her play with the children!

"So she shut herself up in the house and wouldn't have anything to do with anyone!"

"Miss McGee's tall and angular, and sort of eccentric looking, but she's got an awfully sweet nature, and every one was sorry that her feelings were hurt. However, she wouldn't let any one console her, or explain."

"Then one day old Lawyer Manning passed the house and, hearing music, he went up. She was so surprised at his visit that she let him in, and what do you suppose she was doing? She had saved a lot of newspaper articles on how to dance the tango, and she was learning it from them, playing until she had a tune in mind and then singing for the dancing!"

"And so Manning is the happy individual?" anticipated the husband.

"Now, you just wait till I finish!" finished the bride. "Mr. Manning was interested in the tango and Miss Mary McGee promised to teach him all about it. So he went almost every afternoon."

"And then the minister, who every one says was fond of Miss Mary McGee years ago, called. Of course, his visit occurred when Mr. Manning was there, and it sort of woke him up. I guess he'd been thinking Miss Mary McGee would always be there, and there was no hurry about asking her. Anyway, he began to call frequently, and Miss Mary McGee always let them come in, and they remained hours and hours, each trying to outstay the other, and thus get the opportunity to propose, I guess! But they always had to go away together, for neither would give in!"

"And actually Miss Mary McGee got so pretty with the activity and excitement—"

"But which one got her?" interrupted the man.

"Why, that's the romance of it!" triumphed the bride. "They'd been calling for about a month, steadily, almost every afternoon, and then one day the minister brought along his brother, who was visiting him, because he couldn't leave his visitor at home, and he wouldn't let Mr. Manning get the advantage of a call alone!"

"And the minister's brother had the wit to invite her out. And he proposed right away, and now they're married!"—Chicago Daily News.

Knows Better Now.

Wife—Do you recollect that once when we had a quarrel I said you were just as mean as you could be?

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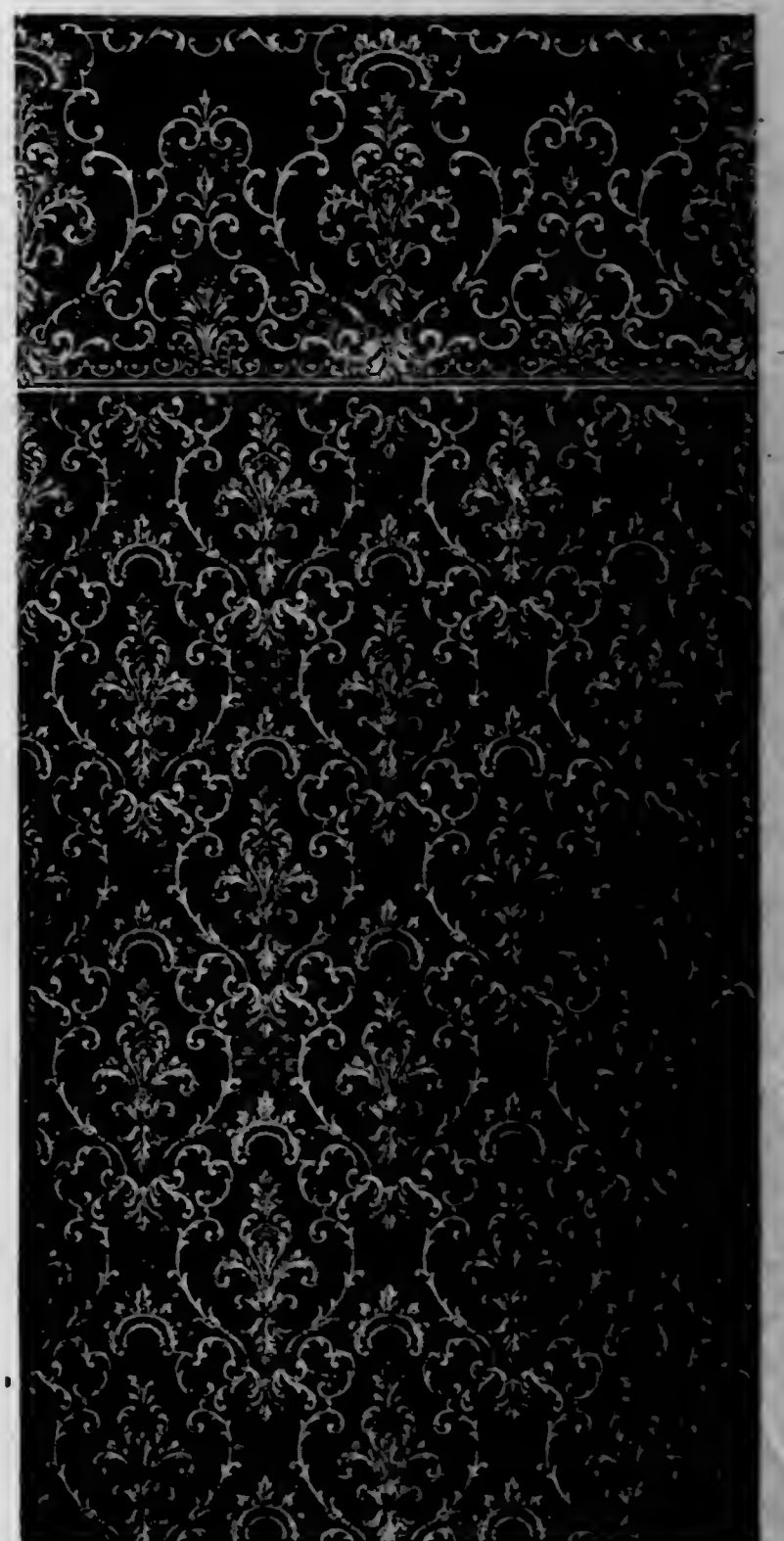
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